

ABOUT THE STATE

Happenings of Interest from Different Sections.

There is 15 inches of snow in the woods of Walden.

Farmers of Fairfield and Sheldon have organized the Fairfield Cow Testing association.

Mrs. M. B. Howard has resigned as matron of the Home for Friendless Women in Burlington, after nearly 11 years' service there.

The schoolhouse in the Hough district in Orwell burned to the ground early Wednesday morning. Leighton Duffany, who lives nearby, saw the building in flames when he arose about 4 o'clock. By that time the fire had gained such headway that the neighbors summoned by telephone were unable to save anything. The schoolhouse was one of the oldest in town and was valued at \$1,000.

Last fall an automobile belonging to R. R. Walker of Rutland collided with a hencoop in which were 35 live chickens, valued at \$31.50, belonging to Joseph Biotti of West Rutland. A few days later a number of the hens died and Biotti claimed that injuries received in the crash were responsible for their deaths. The case was carried to county court and a decision was rendered Friday in favor of the owner of the hens, who was awarded damages.

Philo, son of Frank Robinson of Peacham, was badly injured a few days ago when he attempted to shift the belt on the gasoline engine connected with the milking machine, slipped and in trying to save himself, extended his left arm, which became caught in the belt so that the boy was thrown to the floor and in such a manner that the belt end slapped him in the face at every revolution. His arm was fractured above and below the elbow. The injuries to his head were superficial.

William Walker, who has been manager of the Otta Quebec Woolen company's mills in North Hartland, has purchased the Hampshire Woolen company's mills at Ashuelot, N. H., and will take possession at once. The purchase price of the plant including stock and personal property was \$50,283. The mills have been several months in the hands of receivers and the purchase is from them. Mr. Walker contemplates continuing the same line of manufacture as has been carried on at Ashuelot, they having been long years a prominent feature of the business life of that village.

Quite a serious accident occurred at the granite manufacturing plant of the American Granite company, down on the line of the H. & W. railroad in Hardwick recently. The large air compressor tank exploded with a roar that could be heard for some distance. The force of the explosion sent the tank itself directly up through the roof and out into the yard. Three-inch pipes connecting it, were thrown promiscuously about the shed and in one instance broke off a piece of 2 x 4 as though it was a pipe stem. Men standing at work within six feet of the tank, were uninjured, but the men all stepped back of their stones, thinking, perhaps, the whole shed might fall in. Insofar as injuries were concerned, it was indeed fortunate, but the wreck caused a loss of money to repair. The tank was built upon a heavy plank platform and no trace of that was left at the time.

Had to Shovel 700 Feet or Snowdrift.

Seven men in the construction gang of the New England Tel. and Tel. company had a strenuous ride Saturday morning in an international truck from Morgan Beach to St. Johnsbury, making the trip in eight hours. They left Morgan at 3 a. m. and had the hardest time at Skinner hill in Charleston where they found snowdrifts three feet deep. Here they had to shovel through the drifts for 700 feet before they could start the truck again. The men in the party were William A. Bishop, Carl W. Beahm, Francis J. Gleason, Clarence W. Geddes, Leon T. King, Fred A. Wardner, Harry A. Duval. They all had their pictures taken in front of the Brigham drug store when they reached St. Johnsbury. The gang has been constructing a new line 18 miles long from Derby to Island Pond and their job is practically completed.

Summary of Vermont Educational But-ter Scoring for December.

This scoring was held on Dec. 21 in the dairy laboratory of the college of agriculture, Burlington. Eighteen samples were entered and the quality averaged very good for this time of the year. A few showed evidence of cream held too long and several were criticized for an oily flavor. A few showed a slightly mealy body. This condition was doubtless caused by subjecting the cream to sufficient heat to cause it to oil off more or less either in thawing frozen cream or otherwise.

J. D. Santamore of Gold Brook creamery, Stowe, received the highest score 95.67. The average scores were as follows: Quality, 94.42; composition, 96.9, and final score, 93.0. The average composition was 22.15 per cent fat, 14.56 per cent water, 2.29 per cent salt and one per cent curd.

A partial list of scores follows:

	Final score.
Creamery.	
Gold Brook	95.67
Marblehead	94.87
Gulf Road	94.27
Cabot	94.00
Wilmington	93.93
White River Valley	93.69
Richmond	93.47
Milton	93.40
Lamotte Valley	93.27
Mill View farm	91.47
South Peacham	90.80
West River	90.20

Misplaced.
Madge—So you didn't like the seat you had at the theatre?
Marjorie—No; the conversation of the people near me wasn't interesting at all.—New York Sun.

Three Out.
"The Biblical story of the creation must have been written by a baseball reporter."
"How so?"
"It starts out 'In the beginning...'"
—Denison Flamingo.

Xmas Joys, Toys and Boys



ORANGE COUNTY FARM BUREAU

Notes for Week Ending Dec. 23.

Meetings for the consideration of the tabulations of the farm management survey which was taken in Randolph and Royalton last spring were held in Randolph Center and Randolph on Monday and Tuesday evenings, respectively. Interesting facts regarding the range of prices for farm products were given as well as tables showing the influence of different factors on farm income. H. P. Young, farm management specialist, explained somewhat the object of the farm survey in Vermont which is to be taken every year for five years. Farmers who are interested in knowing the actual conditions which control farm prices and how each farmer can best relate himself to the conditions should be interested in following the records from year to year. Randolph and Royalton were the two towns chosen in Vermont for the survey work because they were believed to be average towns.

At the meetings on Monday and Tuesday evenings, R. E. Elliott, manager of the Addison County Farmers' exchange, and K. J. Kirk, general manager of the Vermont Co-operative Livestock Marketing association, were present and presented the plans for continuing the co-operative marketing of livestock.

On Wednesday and Thursday afternoons very interesting and successful boys' and girls' club meetings at Thetford and Newbury were held. At each place clubs were organized with keeping of farm accounts as the main project. H. E. Young assisted at those meetings. Meetings of each club were planned for early in January.

On Friday night the Central Orange County Jersey Cattle club held a public meeting at the town hall in Chelsea. The program consisted of a talk by Leonard Dunk, eastern representative of the American Jersey Cattle club, illustrated by lantern slides and moving pictures. This meeting was well attended and very interesting from start to finish.

The fertilizer pool positively closes on Dec. 30. Get your orders in to the farm bureau office or to the nearest farmers' exchange through which your business will go before that date.

H. A. Drivell county agent.

Free to Asthma and Hay Fever Sufferers

Free Trial of Method That Anyone Can Use Without Discomfort or Expense. We have a method for the control of Asthma, and we want you to try it at our expense. No matter whether your case is of the chronic or acute type, whether it is present as Chronic Asthma or Hay Fever, you should send for a free trial of our method. No matter in what climate you live, no matter what your age or occupation, if you are troubled with Asthma or Hay Fever, our method should relieve you promptly.

We especially want to send it to those apparently hopeless cases, where all forms of inhalers, douches, opium preparations, fumigations, "patent smokes," etc., have failed. We want to show everyone at our expense that our method is designed to end all difficult breathing, all wheezing, and all those terrible paroxysms.

This free offer is too important to neglect a single day. Write now and begin the method at once. Send no money. Simply mail coupon below. Do it today—you even do not pay postage.

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FRONTIER ASTHMA CO., Room 277, Niagara and Hudson Sts., Buffalo, N. Y. Send free trial of your method to:

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at my farm on Worcester road, four and one-half miles from Montpelier, my herd of

15 HIGH GRADE JERSEY COWS

Five two-year-old heifers and two yearlings, two have freshened, others to freshen soon. Herd on accredited list.
M. G. ANDREWS, Owner.
D. A. PERRY, Auctioneer.

MAKING A MARKET GARDEN OUT OF A SWAMP

Great Indian Swamp in Rhode Island Is in Process of Transformation.

Charlestown, R. I., Dec. 26.—Little locomotives are bumping over newly laid rails on a corduroy flooring, a 27-ton walking dredge is plowing its way through the muck, a steam hoister is puffing noisily and the ring of the axe is heard in the depths of a forest in this town to which few white men previously had penetrated. The great Indian swamp in the early stages of transformation into a market garden.

Already 200 acres of the swamp have been drained and cleared. On this tract next spring members of the faculty of Rhode Island State college conducted a demonstration in cultivation. The swamp, a little more than two miles long and with an average width of two miles on a half, is heavily timbered. White pine, cedar, oak and maple predominate. Some of the pines already felled measured three feet in diameter, and each of these when sawed made 1,000 feet or more of lumber.

Workmen are now engaged on the last lap of a broad road cut straight through the swamp for the logging railroad. Large quantities of timber and cordwood already have been hauled out. The steam hoister, installed on the flat car, shoots out its steel cables and hauls the great sides, each loaded with from three to ten tons of logs, to the shore.

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Stock and Tools at Auction

I have sold my farm and will dispose of my stock and tools at public sale on

Friday, December 29, at 10 o'clock in the forenoon

on the premises where I live two miles from East Orange and four miles from Washington.

11 Head of Cattle

Six grade Holstein cows, good producers, 2 yearlings, 3 calves, 2 heifers.

Tools

Two sleds, 6 H. P. gasoline engine, circular saw and drag saw, storage tank, evaporator, 2 gathering tanks, sugar-off pan, 400 tin buckets, DeLaval separator, milk cans, 6-ft. water tub, corn sheller, ensilage cutter and 30-ft. carrier, two lumber wagons, express wagon, buggy, moving machine, horse rake, plow and harrow, 22-ft. ladder, cultivator, corn planter, portable cider mill, ox hay rack, Sampson grain thrasher, two wood-turning lathes and bells, pair driving harnesses, ox yokes, some blacksmith tools, and all small tools. Also a quantity of household furniture, etc.

Terms at time of sale. Lunch at noon. December 29th, at 10 o'clock.

CHARLES E. DOW, Owner.
D. A. PERRY, Auctioneer.

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Bank the fire at night with it—use it on mild days entirely—mix it one shovel of fine to three of coarse anytime. You will get good results and save money.

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RADIO PERMIT required on insurance policies. Please notify this office if you use a radio in your house. Permits are FREE.

J. W. Dillon
Boiler Block, Barre, Vt., Phone 34-R.

12 Prospect St., Tel. 337-M.

Notice to Farmers.

There will be a meeting in Memorial room, city hall building, Montpelier, Dec. 27, at 10 a. m. This meeting is for the purpose of discussion of this tuberculosis test fiasco and to form an organization to combat some of this official propaganda. Also to carry the fight to the next general assembly. Come and bring that neighbor.—adv.

ESTATE OF OLIVER C. SHEPHERD.

State of Vermont, District of Washington, ss. The honorable probate court for the district aforesaid, to all persons interested in the estate of Oliver C. Shepherd, late of City of Barre, in said district, deceased, GREETING:

WHEREAS, said court has assigned the 9th day of January next for examining and allowing the account of the administrator of the estate of said deceased, and for a decree of the residue of said estate to be paid to said administrator, and for the publication thereof to be given to all persons interested in said estate by publishing this order three weeks successively previous to the day assigned, in the Barre Daily Times, a newspaper published at City of Barre, in said district, on the day assigned, then and there to contest the allowance of said account if you see cause, and to establish your right as heirs, legatees and lawful claimants to said residue.

Given under my hand, this 16th day of December, 1922.

FRANK J. MARTIN, Judge.

ESTATE OF JONATHAN BARCROFT.

State of Vermont, District of Washington, ss. The honorable probate court for the district aforesaid, to all persons interested in the estate of Jonathan Barcroft, late of Barre, in said district, deceased, GREETING:

WHEREAS, said court has assigned the 9th day of January next for examining and allowing the account of the executor of the estate of said deceased, and for a decree of the residue of said estate to be paid to said executor, and for the publication thereof to be given to all persons interested in said estate by publishing this order three weeks successively previous to the day assigned, in the Barre Daily Times, a newspaper published at City of Barre, in said district, on the day assigned, then and there to contest the allowance of said account if you see cause, and to establish your right as heirs, legatees and lawful claimants to said residue.

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ESTATE OF RUTH M. BARCROFT.

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Three Lines for 25c

The Times will publish Wants, Lost and Found, For Sale, To Let, etc.—short advertisements at the rate of three lines for twenty-five cents for the first insertion and ten cents for each subsequent insertion.

HOUSES FOR SALE

FOR SALE—Exceptionally fine residence on Washington street; eight rooms, fine tile, cement bottom, steam furnace; granite walls; new double garage with wide concrete drive and all conveniences. House nicely finished, handy and nearly new; best residential section; a first class home for home-owners; owner leaving; apply McAllister & Kent or W. J. Coates, 1011 Montpelier, Vt.

COTTAGE HOUSE OF SIX ROOMS AND BATH FOR SALE—Two acres of good land; some fruit, spring water; apply to Mrs. A. Gearing, Box 62, Beckley Hill, Barre.

FOR SALE—The E. A. Prindle house at 35 Keith avenue, corner Summer St. and Keith avenue.

FARMS FOR SALE

EQUIPPED FARM FOR SALE—Cream cheese \$250 a month; health care for a quick sacrifice; write for particulars to "Farm" care Times.

FOR SALE—Village farm, 30 acres, 4 miles from Montpelier; John P. Benning, Barre, Tel. 105-R.

Would you purchase a residence which would cost at least \$15,000.00 to replace? Modern in every respect; fireplace, open hearth; eleven rooms; those on first floor being finished; oak; hot water heat; special hot water heater; laundry tubs; polished floors; rooms of good size; conveniently located; wonderful view; situated at the junction of three streets; large parcel of land, nearly two acres. Farm with basement; left-house for 100 hens or more; garage for two cars; play house; etc. Everything in No. 1 shape; new paint; new roof; fine grounds; without doubt one of the finest homes in Barre. Owner leaving the city and will sell at only \$8000.00.

For rent: Seven room furnished house with lights, bath, laundry tub, etc. Also seven acres of land and good barn. Will leave city in January. Ideal for poultry and vegetables; just outside the city on good main highway. Eighteen dollars per month. Easement can be derived from the land to pay the rent.

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Currier street house of six rooms; wide porch garden; for rent; \$100.00 per month; move into at once. Price \$3500.00, with \$600.00 down.

Conditions are getting better and we predict an acute shortage of tenements soon; these conditions always mean a demand for homes. There has not been for years as good an opportunity to secure a home as the last few months. The above described properties can be obtained at the same low price as last year. We are sure you will find them real bargains. Better start the New Year right in a home of your own.

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HELP WANTED—MALE

FIREMEN AND BRACKMEN—Beginners steady job for right man for the winter. Write Railway, care Barre Times.

WANTED—Experienced man to drive team; steady job for right man for the winter. T. C. McCarthy, 107 South Main street.

WANTED AT ONCE—Man for general farm work; B. F. Marmon, Williams town, Vt.

WANTED—A good few men for the woods for the winter, at Lakeside; postoffice Ricketts Mills, Vt.

GRANITE CUTTERS, QUARRY WORKERS, POLISHERS, TOOL SHARPENERS AND LUMBERS, TAKE NOTICE—LABOR TROUBLE IN BARRE, VT. AND VICINITY AT PRESENT.

HELP WANTED—FEMALE

WANTED—Table girl; apply at Central cafe.

WANTED—Woman that loves children to help him mother's place on farm; address E. C. Randolph, care Mr. E. Ed. 764-W, Barre.

PLANNING TO WINTER IN VERMONT—We want a capable woman to do the housework for two persons, man and wife; modern home, and a good place for a competent middle aged woman; write Lock Box 226, Hartford, Vt.

WANTED—A housemaid; Mrs. William Barclay, 32 Patterson